

# Diabetes, Smoking, and Health Disparities

## SATELLITE CONFERENCE AND LIVE WEBCAST

Wednesday, November 18, 2009 2:00-3:00 p.m. (Central Time)

3:00-4:00 p.m. (Eastern) • 1:00-2:00 p.m. (Mountain) • 12:00-1:00 p.m. (Pacific)

Our series on health disparities in minorities in Alabama continues. During this session we'll focus on diabetes, and how smoking and tobacco use can play a role in the disease. While diabetes itself can affect anyone at any age, there does seem to be a correlation between it and minority populations. We'll explore this connection much deeper during this part of our series.

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### PROGRAM OBJECTIVES

1. Learn general information about smoking and tobacco use.
2. Discover statewide resources available to eliminate tobacco disparities.
3. Explore the diabetes health disparity in Alabama.
4. Understand the impact of diabetes in seniors, baby boomers, and the general population.
5. Recognize the risk factors of smoking and other tobacco use on diabetes.

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### Previous Program

Health Disparities in Minorities: A Townhall Meeting  
Available as On Demand Program  
[www.adph.org/ALPHTN](http://www.adph.org/ALPHTN)

### Next Program

HIV/AIDS in Minorities with Tuberculosis as a Co-Infection  
Wednesday, December 16, 2009  
2:00 – 3:00 p.m. (Central Time)

### CONFERENCE DETAILS

**Target Audience:** Nurses, social workers, health care providers, educators, and public health educators.

**Continuing Education:** Nurses ASNA 1.0 hours ABN 1.2 hours Social Workers 1.0 hours

**Registration:** [www.adph.org/alphtn](http://www.adph.org/alphtn)

**Technical Information:** To receive complete technical information you must register at [www.adph.org/alphtn](http://www.adph.org/alphtn)

**Satellite** - Live satellite conference on C band (analog).

**Webcast** - Watch with RealPlayer or Windows Media Player. Test your computer with the "test connection link" at [www.adph.org/alphtn](http://www.adph.org/alphtn).

**Audio** - To listen by phone, call 1-888-557-8511. Enter access code 972-1530 #. Press # again to listen to the conference.

**On Demand** - Available 2-3 business days after the live broadcast from the On Demand page of our website.

**Conference Materials:** Posted on our website approximately one week before the program for registered participants.

**Conference Details Questions:** Call: 334-206-5618 | Email: [alphtn@adph.state.al.us](mailto:alphtn@adph.state.al.us)

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